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Rocky Point closed, Highway 33 Landing access open on McClellan-Kerr Arkansas River Navigation System

TULSA, Okla. -- A final action plan has been completed, resulting in Rocky Point being permanently closed and Highway 33 Landing on the McClellan-Kerr Arkansas River Navigation System remaining open as an access point for boaters and anglers, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers announced today.

The action plan was developed during a series of meetings between the Corps of Engineers and local citizens, state and local governments, law enforcement agencies, and members of Oklahoma's congressional delegation and their staffs. The meetings allowed participants to develop plans for operational changes and implementation schedules at the two recreation areas.

During the meetings the planning group addressed concerns about the two areas located near Inola. The concerns focused on vandalism, trash dumping, off-road use, and user behavior modification. At the meeting last week, participants expressed satisfaction with the operational changes and agreed to the final action plan.

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